

House Resolution 948

By: Representatives Mangham of the 94th, Watson of the 91st, Sailor of the 93rd, and Mitchell of the 88th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring Senior Pastor Jesse Curney III and New Mercies Christian Church; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Jesse Curney III, Senior Pastor of New Mercies Christian Church in Lilburn,
4 Georgia, is leading thousands to salvation by teaching the life-changing truths of God's word;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, during the later part of 2001, God spoke to Pastor Curney while he was an
7 Assistant Pastor at New Birth Missionary Baptist Church in Decatur, Georgia, and said, "I
8 have a new thing for you"; and

9 WHEREAS, upon hearing the voice of God, Pastor Curney began to fast and pray, seeking
10 guidance from God as to what to name his new temple dwelling, when he was reminded by
11 God that every day we arise God provides us with "new mercies"; and

12 WHEREAS, Pastor Curney followed God's direction and began to call the baby that God was
13 about to birth "New Mercies"; and

14 WHEREAS, with only three weeks of preparation for God's new ordinance, New Mercies
15 Christian Church's inaugural service took place on May 5, 2002, with over 1,000 well
16 wishers in attendance; and

17 WHEREAS, New Mercies Christian Church has multiplied from 35 founding families to
18 more than 2,000 members with over 35 active ministries to meet the needs of the citizens of
19 its community, making it one of the fastest growing churches in Lilburn; and

20 WHEREAS, on May 5, 2007, the church will celebrate a new campus with a ribbon cutting
21 ceremony; and

1 WHEREAS, an awesome visionary of God, Pastor Curney is admired throughout Gwinnett
2 County and the State of Georgia for his outstanding integrity, commitment to hard work,
3 effective leadership, ability to motivate, and his compassionate and inspiring spiritual
4 guidance; and

5 WHEREAS, it is most fitting that the many contributions of Pastor Curney and New Mercies
6 Christian Church to their community and to Georgia be appropriately recognized.

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
8 Senior Pastor Jesse Curney III and New Mercies Christian Church are honored for their
9 outstanding service to the Gwinnett County community and thanked for their invaluable
10 contributions to Georgia.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is hereby
12 authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Senior Pastor
13 Jesse Curney III and New Mercies Christian Church.